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Weekly Coal Production

Production for Week Ended:
February 14, 1987



Highlights

U.S. coal production in the week ended February 14, 1987, as estimated by the Energy Information Administration, totaled 17.5 million short tons (bituminous coal and lignite, 17.4 million short tons; Pennsylvania anthracite, .08 million short tons). This was 3.9 percent lower than in the previous week, and was 0.3 percent higher than production in the corresponding week of 1986.

Cumulative U.S. coal production from January 1 through February 14, 1987, was estimated at 108.3 million short tons, 6.8 percent below the 116.2 million short tons produced in the comparable period in 1986.

The methodology used to make weekly estimates of coal production was published in the Weekly Coal Production (DOE/EIA-0218(86/35)), released for publication on September 8, 1986.

Figure 1. Coal Production

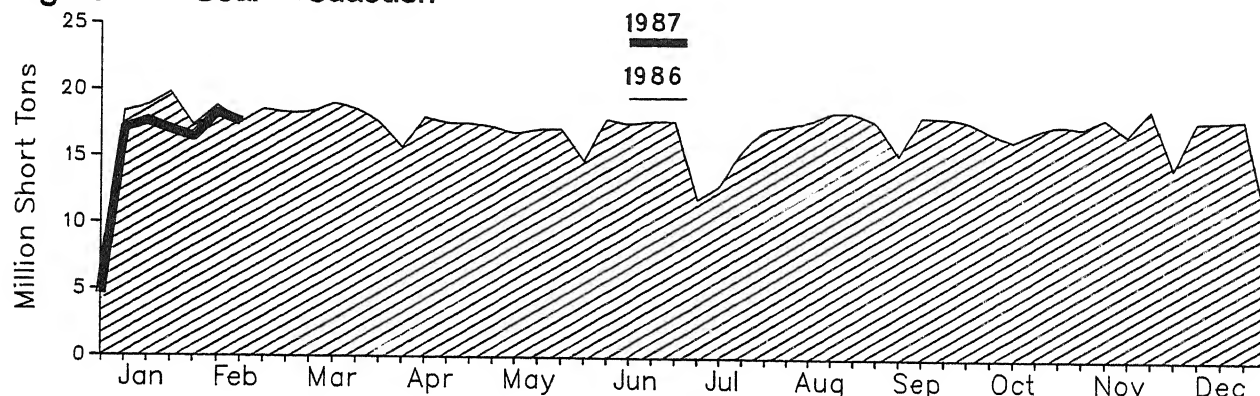


Table 1. Coal Production

Production and Carloadings	Week Ended			Year to Date		
	02/14/87	02/07/87	02/15/86	02/14/87	02/15/86	Percent Change
Production (Thousand Short Tons)						
Bituminous ¹ and Lignite	17,435	18,163	17,410	107,818	115,784	-6.9
Pennsylvania Anthracite	84	75	58	486	387	25.6
U.S. Total	17,519	18,238	17,468	108,304	116,171	-6.8
Railroad Cars Loaded	108,316	112,693	106,248	670,071	711,037	

¹Includes subbituminous coal.

Note: 1986 and 1987 data are preliminary. Total may not equal sum of components because of independent rounding.

Sources: Association of American Railroads, Transportation Division, Weekly Statement CS-54A; Energy Information Administration, Form EIA-6, "Coal Distribution Report" and State mining agency coal production reports.

Table 2. Coal Production by State
(Thousand Short Tons)

Region and State	Week Ended		
	02/14/87	02/07/87	02/15/86
Bituminous Coal ¹ and Lignite			
East of the Mississippi	11,238	11,548	11,258
Alabama	485	507	502
Illinois	1,266	1,369	1,327
Indiana	567	614	638
Kentucky	3,165	3,254	3,011
Kentucky, Eastern	2,355	2,421	2,237
Kentucky, Western	810	833	774
Maryland	90	92	65
Ohio	712	693	724
Pennsylvania Bituminous	1,446	1,380	1,409
Tennessee	130	138	163
Virginia	838	889	842
West Virginia	2,539	2,614	2,577
West of the Mississippi	6,197	6,615	6,151
Alaska	31	32	27
Arizona	183	191	227
Arkansas	1	1	1
Colorado	269	244	305
Iowa	8	9	11
Kansas	14	15	23
Louisiana	48	58	53
Missouri	102	120	94
Montana	646	690	620
New Mexico	457	464	449
North Dakota	451	485	481
Oklahoma	64	74	67
Texas	851	885	941
Utah	209	201	301
Washington	79	82	95
Wyoming	2,782	3,064	2,458
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